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Title : USES AND METHODS OF MAKING MICROARRAYS OF POLYMERIC  
BIOMATERIALSAssistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

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ESTABLISHING RIGHT OF ASSIGNEE TO TAKE ACTION  
(37 CFR 3.73(b))

The assignee of the entire right, title and interest of inventors the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, hereby seeks to take action in the Patent and Trademark Office in the above matter.

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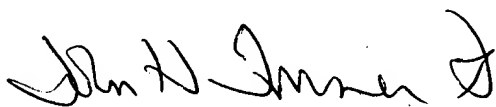
\_\_\_\_\_ documents already recorded in the PTO on \_\_\_\_\_.

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  X   documents separately submitted for recordal to the PTO (a copy of these documents is attached).COPY OF PAPERS  
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**STATEMENT**

I, a person authorized to sign on behalf of the assignee, have reviewed the evidentiary documents referred to above and certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, title is mine/ours as assignees who seek to take further action.



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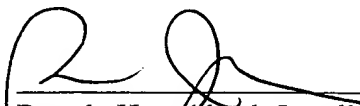
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*Massachusetts Institute of Technology*

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Respectfully submitted,

  
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Date: 10/16, 2001

**ASSIGNMENT**

**WHEREAS**, We, **Daniel G. Anderson**, of Framingham, Massachusetts, **Robert S. Langer** of Newton, Massachusetts and **David A. Putnam** of Cambridge, Massachusetts have invented certain new and useful improvements in **Uses and Methods of Making Microarrays of Polymeric Biomaterials** for which we will make application for United States Letters Patent; and

**WHEREAS**, MASSACHUSETTS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY a non-profit educational institute having offices at 77 Massachusetts Avenue, Cambridge, Massachusetts, and its successors and assigns (collectively hereinafter called "the Assignee"), is desirous of acquiring my entire right, title and interest in and to the invention, and in and to the said application and any Letters Patent that may issue thereon;

**NOW THEREFORE**, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledge, I do hereby sell assign and transfer unto said ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns and legal representatives the full and exclusive right, title and interest in and to said invention and in and to said application and all patents which may granted therefore, and all divisions, reissues, substitutions, continuations; and I hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue all patents for said invention, or patents resulting therefrom, insofar as my interest is concerned, to the said ASSIGNEE of my entire right, title and interest.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereto set my hand and seal at Cambridge,  
MASS. this 21 day of May, 2001.  
Daniel G. Anderson  
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STATE OF Massachusetts SS.  
COUNTY OF Middlesex

Before me this 21 day of May, 2001, personally appeared **Daniel G. Anderson** known to me to be the person whose name of subscribed to the foregoing Assignment and acknowledged that he executed the same as his free act and deed for the purposes therein contained.

Cristine J. Beal  
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My Commission Expires:

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereto set my hand and seal at \_\_\_\_\_,  
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**Christine J. Beale**  
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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereto set my hand and seal at MIT  
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David A. Putnam  
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